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SUBJ: ALGERIAN TRADE REGULATIONS: CERTIFICATES OF ORIGIN
AND PRICING

U.S. COMPANY LONGYEAR HAS NOTED THAT PUBLICATION INTERNATIONAL TRADE REPORTER SUPPLEMENT DTD SEPTEMBER 21, 1973, CONTAINS FOLLOWING STATEMENT: "ONCE ALL DOCUMENTS COVERING SHIPMENT HAVE BEEN ASSEMBLED, THEY UNDERGO FOLLOWING CERTIFICATION AND LEGALIZATION PROCEDURE: SET OF DOCUMENTS IS FIRST TO BE NOTARIZED BY NOTARY PUBLIC AND THEN LEGALIZED BY SECRETARY OF STATE OF STATE IN WHICH IS NOTARIZED. SET THEN FORWARDED TO AUTHENTICATION OFFICE, DEPARTMENT OF STATE WHERE SOME DOCUMENTS IN SET (E.G. CERTIFICATE OF ORIGIN) RECEIVE DEPT SEAL AND SIGNATURE OF SECRETARY OF STATE. FINALLY SET SENT TO ALGINT WHERE IT RECEIVES LEGALIZATION CERTIFICATE PRIOR TO FINAL DESPATCH." INTERNATIONAL TRADE REPORTER RESEARCH STATED THIS INFO WAS FURNISHED BY ALGINT.

IN RESPONSE TO OUR REQUEST CONCERNING AUTHENTICATING CERTIFICATES OF ORIGIN, ALGINT STATED THAT ABOVE PROCEDURE IS EMPLOYED IN CASES WHEN ALGERIAN PURCHASERS SPECIFY IT IN CONTRACT. COMMERCE RECORDS INDICATE THAT REQUIRE-
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MENT ON CERTIFICATES OF ORIGIN CAN BE MET BY SIMPLY

INCLUDING CERTIFICATE OF ORIGIN STATEMENT, SIGNED BY
COMPANY OFFICIAL, ON COMMERCIAL INVOICE WITHOUT ANY
FURTHER AUTHENTICATION REQUIRED.

2. IN CONNECTION WITH PROVISION THAT PRICES SHOULD BE
STATED IN BOTH DOLLARS AND DINARS ON INVOICE, DOES THIS
PROVISION COVER ONLY TOTAL C.I.F. VALUE OF INVOICE OR
SHOULD EACH ITEM HAVE BOTH DOLLAR AND DINAR VALUES STATED?

3. WE WOULD APPRECIATE ANY CLARIFICATION ON ABOVE TWO
POINTS SOONEST IN ORDER TO ADVISE INTERESTED U.S. COMPANIES.
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